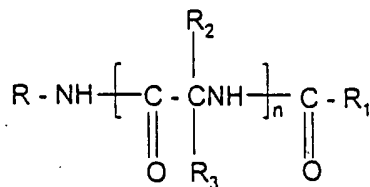


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ABSTRACT

The present invention is directed to the use
of compounds of the formula:

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for treating pain, in particular neuropathic pain,
15 bipolar disease and migraine headaches.